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For: ROW HASH MATCH SCAN IN A PARTITIONED DATABASE  
SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents  
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**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN**

Sir:

Enclosed are formal drawings of Figures 1 through 7 for the above-identified patent application. Please substitute the enclosed formal drawings for the originally filed informal drawings of Figures 1 through 7, which were provided with the patent application when filed on November 14, 2001.

Two duplicate copies of the enclosed drawing sheets are provided for the convenience of the Office.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required to NCR Corporation, Deposit Account No. 14 0225.

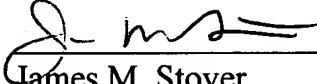
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